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THE ELIZABETH WARREN SWEARING-IN

Saturday, January 5, 2013, was an amazing historic day for our College. Senator Elizabeth Warren chose to have a ceremonial swearing-in for the people of Massachusetts who voted for her. She personally chose RCC because she felt her candidacy got off to an excellent start during appearances at RCC.

The Media Arts stage was filled with dignitaries from federal and state government. They included: Supreme Court Justice Elena Kagan; Senator John Kerry; Senator Elizabeth Warren and her husband, Bruce Mann, Governor Deval Patrick; recently retired Representative Barney Frank; Representative Ed Markey; Representative Stephen Lynch; Steve Holman, Union President; Andrea Cabral, former Suffolk County Sheriff, and soon to be a member of the Patrick Administration; State Auditor Suzanne Bump; Attorney General Martha Coakley, Representative Grossman.

The program opened with a brief introduction by Kevin Small, first-year student and president of our newly-revived Phi Theta Kappa. Interim President, Dr. Linda Edmonds Turner, was the MC, inviting Senator Kerry and Senator Warren to come into the auditorium and take their places on stage. Then Justice Kagan was invited to come to the stage.

The pictures on page 2 really tell the story. They were taken by our wonderful photographers: Milton Samuels, Pam Green, and Joel Pierre.

Thanks to the RCC team for helping the Warren delegation plan the event. The RCC Team: President Turner, Trustee Steve Tompkins, VP Janey, VP Mercomes, Marshall Hughes, Keith McDermott, Pam Green, Audrey Kimball, Kelsey Jarboe, Justin Petty, and Ken Hall.

IN MEMORIAM

We all lost a dear friend last week, and I daresay that most of us are still in shock. Our hearts are heavy and sad with the loss of Mark. He was highly respected and liked by students, faculty, and staff. And he, in turn, loved working at RCC.

We will truly miss his energy, his innovative ideas, and, most especially, his smile.

Memorial Arrangements for the late Mark Garth have been confirmed,

Date: Saturday, January 19th at 2pm

Location: First Church of Boston
66 Marlborough Street
Boston, MA

In lieu of flowers, donations in Mark's name may be made to: The Roxbury Community College Foundation

Condolences and other messages may be sent to:
Steven Hatch
32 Murray Hill Road
Malden, MA 02148

President Turner, Senator Warren, and Justice Kagan

The Cohasset Girl Scouts, with Grace Lloyd

The RCC Board of Trustees with Andrea Cabral and Justice Kagan

Senator Warren with her husband Bruce Mann

Platform Guests

Far right: Kevin Small, President of Phi Theta Kappa and Emery Henderson, who sang the National Anthem

Platform Guests, including Gov. Deval Patrick